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Therefore, having thus described the invention, at least the following is claimed:

1 A system for controlling document region analysis, comprising:
2 a digital document analyzer configured to determine a number of
3 regions on a digital document and a data type for each of the regions, the data type for
4 each region being one of a number of predefined data types; and
5 a selection interface for identifying at least one of the predefined data
6 types for further processing.

1 C 2. The system of claim 1, wherein the selection interface further
2 comprises a number of toggle mechanisms associated with each of the predefined data
3 types for selecting and deselecting the predefined data types.

1 3. The system of claim 1, further comprising a processing pipeline
2 identifier configured to identify at least one processing pipeline to process the regions
3 of the digital document based upon a predetermined destination application and the
4 data types identified by the selection interface.

1 4. The system of claim 1, further comprising a display interface
2 configured to display the digital document, wherein only the regions that comprise a
3 data type identified by the selection interface are displayed.

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1 5. The system of claim 1, wherein the selection interface further
2 comprises a graphical user interface having a selection indicator for each of the data
3 types.

1 6. The system of claim 1, further comprising a default selection
2 configuration for each of the data types.

1 7. A system for controlling document region analysis, comprising:
2 analyzing means for analyzing a digital document to determine a
3 number of regions thereon and a data type for each of the regions, the data type for
4 each region being one of a number of predefined data types; and
5 selection means for identifying at least one of the predefined data types
6 for further processing.

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1 8. The system of claim 7, wherein the selection means further comprises
2 means for selecting and deselecting the predefined data types.

1 9. The system of claim 7, further comprising means for identifying at
2 least one processing pipeline to process the regions of the digital document based
3 upon the data types identified by the selection means and a predetermined destination
4 application.

1 10. The system of claim 7, further comprising display means for displaying
2 the digital document, the display means displaying only the regions having a data type
3 identified by the selection means.

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1 11. The system of claim 7, wherein the selection means further comprises a
2 graphical user interface having a selection indicator for each of the data types.

1 12. The system of claim 7, further comprising a default selection
2 configuration for each of the data types.

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1 13. A method for controlling document region analysis, comprising the
2 analyzing a digital document to determine a number of regions thereon
3 and a data type for each of the regions, the data type for each region being one of a
4 number of predefined data types; and
5 identifying at least one of the predefined data types for further
6 processing.
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1 14. The method of claim 13, wherein the step of identifying at least one of
2 the predefined data types further comprises the step of selecting and deselecting each
3 the predefined data types.

1 15. The method of claim 13, further comprising the step of identifying at
2 least one processing pipeline to process the regions of the digital document based
3 upon a predetermined destination application and the data types identified for further
4 processing.

1 16. The method of claim 13, further comprising the step of displaying the
2 digital document, wherein only the regions are displayed that have a data type
3 identified for further processing.

1 17. The method of claim 13, further comprising the step of displaying a
2 graphical user interface having a selection indicator for each of the data types.

1 18. The method of claim 13, further comprising identifying a default
2 selection configuration for each of the data types.

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